GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Agriculture & Cooperation Department - Conducting of General Body Meetings by the Cooperative Societies for the Half year period ended on 30.09.2020 - Exemption from the conducting General Body Meetings for the Half year in view of the Country wide lockdown owing COVID-19 pandemic– Orders – Issued.

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AGRICULTURE & COOPERATION (COOP.III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 617 Dated: 28-08-2020.

Read:

From the Commissioner for Cooperation & Registrar of Cooperative Societies, Andhra Pradesh, Guntur, letter Rc.No.AGCO6-14/5/2020-LM, dated: 28.07.2020.

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ORDER:

In the reference read above, the Commissioner for Cooperation & Registrar of Cooperative Societies, Andhra Pradesh, Guntur has requested the Government to accord permission to the Cooperative Societies for conduct of General Body meeting for the half year ended 30.09.2020 also through Virtual mode, whichever is suitable to the Society. The Cooperative Societies may be instructed to ensure for taking adequate safety measures to prevent from spread of Covid-19 pandemic while convening the meeting as per Statute, ensure for intimation of the meeting to all members through any one of the modes of communication, record the proceedings & maintain attendance of the participating members for record and production of the same whenever required.

2. After careful examination of the matter, Government hereby invoked and exempted to the Cooperative Societies from complying with the procedures prescribed under Section 123, Section 32(1) of APCS Act read with Rule 67 & 75 (14) & Rule 23-B and accord permission to choose any one of the reasonable alternative modes of communication such as advertisement in Newspaper, email, SMS, Whatsapp etc., whichever is suitable for the Society for conducting of General Body meeting for the half year ended 30.09.2020.

3. The Government also hereby accord permission to the Commissioner for Cooperation & Registrar of Cooperative Societies, Andhra Pradesh, Guntur for conducting of General Body meeting of the Cooperative Societies for the half year ended 30.09.2020 through virtual mode, whichever is suitable to the Society. The Cooperative Societies also be instructed to ensure for taking adequate safety measures to prevent from spread of pandemic while convening the meeting as per Statute, ensure for intimation of the meeting to all members through any one of the modes of communication, record the proceedings & maintain attendance of the participating members for record and production of the same whenever required.

4. The Commissioner for Cooperation & Registrar of Cooperative Societies, Andhra Pradesh, Guntur shall take necessary action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Y. MADHUSUDHANA REDDY
SPECIAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Commissioner for Cooperation & Registrar of Cooperative Societies, A.P., Guntur.

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PS to Spl.Secy.to Hon'ble C.M.
P.S. to Hon'ble Minister for Agriculture & Cooperation.
P.S. to Special Secretary to Government (AM&C), Agriculture & Cooperation Department.
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// FORWARDED BY ORDER //

SECTION OFFICER